



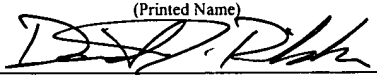
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: R. Rivest et al.
Title: Micropayment Processing
Method and System
Appl. No.: 10/553,611
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Examiner: Unknown
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Confirmation Number: 1989

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TRANSMITTAL OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed July 24, 2006, in the above-identified patent application, transmitted herewith are the missing requirements to complete the filing of the subject patent application. Please find enclosed the following documents:

- Preliminary Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.115
- Return copy of Notification of Missing Requirements
- Petition for Extension of Time
- Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney
- Petition Under 37 CFR § 1.47(a)
- Declaration of Robert Nix Filed in Support of Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a), with Exhibits A-D

▪ Credit Card Payment Form

[X] Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a previous assertion of Small Entity status.

[X] Please calculate claim fees after entry of the preliminary amendment. The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims As Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	14	-	20	=	0	x	\$50.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	2	-	3	=	0	x	\$200.00	=	\$0.00
First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims:								+	\$360.00 = \$0.00
CLAIMS FEE TOTAL								=	\$0.00

[X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

[] Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$120.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$450.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$1,020.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,590.00	\$0.00
[X] Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$2,160.00	\$2,160.00
EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:		\$2,160.00
[] Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d):	\$130.00	\$0.00
CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER FEE TOTAL:		\$2,160.00
[X] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):		\$1,080.00
Extension Fees Previously Paid:		\$0.00
TOTAL FEE:		\$1,080.00

A credit card payment form in the amount of \$1,210.00 is enclosed to cover the Extension fee for response filed within the fifth month (\$1080) and the Petition Under 37 CFR § 1.47(a) fee (\$130).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-3431. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment form being unsigned, providing incorrect information resulting in a rejected credit card transaction, or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 50-3431.

If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 50-3431.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

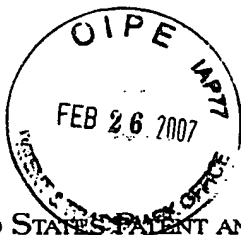
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 10/18/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 10/18/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 10/18/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 10/18/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 10/18/2005
- Power of Attorney filed on 10/18/2005
- Specification filed on 10/18/2005
- Claims filed on 10/18/2005
- Abstracts filed on 10/18/2005
- Drawings filed on 10/18/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Additional claim fees of \$6700 as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

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Total additional fees required for this application is \$6700 for a Small Entity:

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$ 6700
 - \$1700 for 17 independent claims over 3.
 - \$5000 for 200 total claims over 20.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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